AWAIT TAX DEGISION BY SUPREME COURT

Government Expects a Victory When Opinion Is Handed Down.

The Supreme Court of the United lins McKlm, the Baltimore and New States is expected to hand down, Mon-Vork society man, and who, it is ruday, its decision in the corporation tax cases. This decision is awaited with

the decision to be awaited with anxiety in Government quarters.

About \$5,000,000 in such taxexs has been collected. If the Treasury is allowed to retain this, it will help materially to get Uncle Sam out of the issaal hole.

The Government is relying on the contention that this tax is not direct upon the property, real, or personal of the corporations, joint stock companies or associations, or insurance companies, but that it is an excise, as the statute expressely declares upon "the carrying on or doing business" by such companies, and that it herefore needs no apportionment among the States according to population.

Unless the court takes this view it would then be considered an income tax, and as such, in the light of its past record, the court would probably not uphold it.

The Government also holds that the tax is not direct upon shares of stockholders, or upon the income of such stockholders from their shares; that it does not beccme direct in the special case of a real estate company; that it is not an infraction of the general power of the States to authorize the formation of corporations and joint stock companies; and that, as an excise, the tax is uniform under the Constitution.

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CLIFTON HEIGHTS, Pa., May 15.—A monster black snake is causing anxiety and fear among farmers and others living in Springfield Township. Robert Lacy, George Sullivan and others say they have seen the reptile, and, according to their statements, the snake is more than twelve feet in length, has a large body and an immense head.

MRS. M'KIM TO FOUND BOYS' JUNIOR REPUBLIC

Woman in Reno, Waiting for Divorce, Plans to Leave Monument of Her Stay That Will Be Lasting Benefit to Nevada Children.

RENO, Nev., May 15 .- Mrs. Smith sary for their care at that time, bu Hollins McKim, who is here waiting had them sent to California and to get a divorce from Dr. Smith Holto get a divorce from Dr. Smith Holmored, will immediately thereafter here a few days ago he and the juve become the bride of Alfred Gwynne lile court officers had a conference, a the most painful interest by the Department of Justice, by the Treasury officials, and by members oif Congress, to say nothing of the corporations sub-Government officials are confident the whom her case will be tried, to start a stock, who afterward died a pauper. law will be albeld. At the same time branch of the Junior Republic Asso- and lies by the side of his wife in a there is enough uncertainty to cause ciation in Reno for boys of this city. the decision to be awaited with anxiety in Government quarters.

Cation in Reno lot boys of this capt. She has interested her father, Capt. Isaac Emerson, in the work, and to-

infant sister placed in a religious in-

stitution in that State. When Captain Emerson arrived

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STREET CLOTHES OF ACTOR STOLEN

LOS ANGELES, May 15.-Rienar Bennett, the leading man of the Naule Adams company, is remaining in his com at his hotel today in seclusion for he is just vain enough not to car to appear on the street clad in a green coat, light checkered trousers, and the opera hat, which is his only outfit fist

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LITTLE ROCK, Ark., May 15.—Dec MacLean, a negro, who severely infunced Ernest Hale, a young white French punitive column, numbering that hall the place late last night by agreed the rebrack that place late last night by dead, including eight chiefs and tyenty-five men and hanged in the last yard.

PARIS, May 15.—An official dispate rom Central Soudan reports that

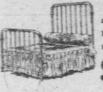
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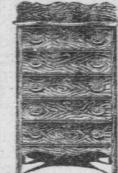
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